

Gerrish Township Police Department

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Gerrish Township Police Monthly Report 01-01-20 through 01-31-20

The Gerrish Township Police Department responded to a total of 101 calls for service for the month of January 2020.

The Department reports 2 custodial arrest statistics this month. (See attached report for breakdown).

The Department reports 7 total citations listing 6 traffic violations, 5 written verbal warnings, and 1 misdemeanor citations for the month. (See attached for breakdown).

Training:

The Department reports 82 total contact hours of continuing educational training and 7 hours of on-line training for LEIN requirements. (See attached detail document).

Chief Hill highlighted activity for the reported month is as follows:

- 1) I analyzed and prepared the 2019 Police Department Annual Report.
- 2) I attended 2 ACT-NOW Executive Board Meetings in my advisory capacity this month. The second meeting was the Annual 2020 planning meeting to map out a course to another successful fundraising schedule as well as scheduling the events for goal dates for the group.
- 3) I attended an 8 hour professional development training entitled Managing the Incident Command Post and Tactical Operation Command in Cadillac put on by the National Tactical Command Officers Association. This class focused on large scale Mass Casualty incidents and the breakdown of same to manage to a success.
- 4) I conducted two staff meeting this month to focus on our continued success with managing open case files and discussing important Department personnel shortage issues that we face at this time. Additionally, we conducted LEIN required re-certification training. As well, we re-certified in the Conducted Electrical Weapon (Taser) as required.
- 5) I attended the monthly Handle with Care meeting to further discuss the progress of the program as we continue to roll out various components to further the communications of the children that have experienced trauma.
- 6) I attended the regular Township Board work session meeting as required.

- 7) I attended the Michigan Association of Chiefs of Police Executive Board Meeting via conference call this month.
- 8) I attended the monthly Roscommon County Law Enforcement Administrators meeting held at Fred's Restaurant in Roscommon.
- 9) I hosted a planning session with CERT Coordinator Bob Barber and CERT member Mike Briggs to set dates and topics for the CERT team training schedule for 2020. We also met to plan and set dates for a CERT Basic 20 hour class to be held at GTPD beginning January 15, 2020 and run for 6 weeks on Wednesdays each week.
- 10) I attended the multi-discipline team meeting that examines child sexual abuse and child abuse cases that run through the Northern Michigan Children's Assessment Center each month.
- 11) I met with Dale Boehm from AUL to discuss Township Health Insurance costs 2019-2020 and predictions for costs.
- 12) I set up and hosted a meeting between the Roscommon County Emergency Manager, GTFD Fire/EMS Chief and representatives of the Good Shepherd United Methodist Church of the North for the purposes of providing them with a EOP template to organize their responses in the event of large emergencies (all hazard) and to correlate with their security and key staff during that time.
- 13) I attended a 4 hour Legal Update class with the entire department at the Northern Michigan Law Enforcement Training group headquarters at Camp Grayling.
- 14) I attended and chaired the Roscommon County 911 Technical Board meeting held at the County Building. Reviews of policies at the beginning of each year were on the agenda.
- 15) I was re-elected as the chair of the 911 Technical Board again for the 2020 year.
- 16) I attended the regular Gerrish Township Board meeting as required.
- 17) I instructed the first night of the 2020 CERT Basic class on CERT organization, policy and operations.
- 18) I met with Lt Patchin and Administrative Clerk Hill to work on the remainder of our GTPD SOP's to make sure all are updated, relevant and we are ready to begin the new book formalization and numbering system in whole.
- 19) I met with the committee to re-work the general Township Policy Manual and Handbook. We went over the remainder of what we had left to cover before the re-working of those books. We continue on course for a self-imposed deadline of June 2020 to present to the full board for approval.
- 20) I attended a human resources class with Clerk Patchin put on by the Michigan Townships Association.
- 21) I attended a meeting with FirstNet (AT&T) at the Gerrish Township Fire Hall to review their proposals for Band 14, Public Safety dedicated Band for cell service. Currently we use the Verizon product cell service. FirstNet would provide non-preempted coverage to all first responders throughout the country at a very good governmental rate. FirstNet and AT&T have a 25 year contract with the Federal government to develop and complete this seamless service. We have ordered two test phones to test service versus our current Verizon coverage area and consistency.
- 22) This past month, I attended and signed on for three more years of partnership with the NMCAC as this past 3 years has been very successful in providing better service and conviction success for our child abuse, neglect and sexual assault cases here in a four county area. I am proud of this partnership.
- 23) I attended an Emergency Operations Plan Training at the Roscommon County Commissioners room with the Roscommon County Sheriff Department to go over the latest maps and strategies for the plan.
- 24) I attended the first meeting of the Law Enforcement group relating to the beginning roll out of the new Motorola CAD/JMS/RMS system. More to follow on meeting dates, live roll out dates etc.

25) This month saw the culmination of the Project Tracks effort. The Ranger is now finished with the Tracks on same and all required data and closure of grants obtained have been completed. If anyone has not seen it, we will take the time to show it to anyone in the public. A huge thank you to the community for its support.

26) I met with Lt Patchin and Jason Jansen from Building and Zoning to go over the case file management system we will use to secure compliance with the Long Term Rental Ordinance

enacted last year in the Township.

As a note, we participated in the three month long "No Shave" campaign with area Police Departments and were able to donate \$1585.00 to the Northern Michigan Children's Assessment Center to further efforts with our children in the community.

Please watch our website carefully to stay informed about upcoming events and Township News releases. Our site is www.gerrishpolice.org.

As always, I want to thank my Officers and Community for their dedication to the Police Department mission and our Township Board for the support of those missions.

Respectfully Submitted,

Chief Brian A. Hill

Brian A. Hill #17-1 Gerrish Township Police Department

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Roscommon County File Class / Section Report

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Number	Sub-Beat	Date	Offense Location	Incident Code-Type Officer
19-1557	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/02/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0002	GAP-2	01/02/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0003	GAP-2	01/02/2020	83000 FIRE FIGHTER DUTY CROSSOVER	AFD-Assist Fire Dept.
20-0003	GAP-2	01/02/2020	83000 FIRE FIGHTER DUTY CROSSOVER	FFDX-FFD X-Over
20-0006	GAP-3	01/03/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0004	GAP-3	01/03/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES	OTH-Other
20-0008	GAP-3	01/04/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS	OTH-Other
20-0005	GAP-1	01/04/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT	DST-Disturbance (inside and/or outside)
20-0005	GAP-1	01/04/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT	DV-Domestic Violence
20-0005	GAP-1	01/04/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT	JU-Juvenile
20-0012	GAP-2	01/05/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0009	GAP-1	01/05/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0010	GAP-3	01/05/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0016	GERRISH- TOWNSHIP	01/06/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI	PDA-Property Damage Accident
20-0015	GERRISH- TOWNSHIP	01/06/2020	26002 FRAUD - CREDIT CARD/AUTO TELLER	OTH-Other
20-0001	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/06/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS	ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0001	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/06/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS	OTH-Other
20-0013	GAP-1	01/07/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI	PIA-PIA
20-0007	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/07/2020	99008 GENERAL ASSISTANCE	ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0007	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/07/2020	99008 GENERAL ASSISTANCE	PDA-Property Damage Accident
20-0022	GAP-1	01/07/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI	PDACD-Car/Deer PDA
20-0023	GAP-2	01/08/2020	84000 PBT SERVICES	OTH-Other
20-0021	GAP-3	01/08/2020	54001 Hit & Run Motor Vehicle Accident	OTH-Other
20-0020	GAP-3	01/08/2020	99001 SUICIDE	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0020	GAP-3	01/08/2020	99001 SUICIDE	DST-Disturbance (inside and/or outside)
20-0017	GAP-1	01/08/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0027	GAP-2	01/08/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0028	GAP-3	01/08/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST	ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0029	GAP-2	01/09/2020	84000 PBT SERVICES	OTH-Other
20-0033	GAP-2	01/09/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0026	GAP-2	01/09/2020	27000 EMBEZZLEMENT	OTH-Other
20-0032	GAP-2	01/09/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0034	GERRISH- TOWNSHIP	01/10/2020	84000 PBT SERVICES	OTH-Other
20-0031	GAP-2	01/10/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	OTH-Other
20-0011	GAP-3	01/10/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS	OTH-Other
20-0018	GAP-1	01/10/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL	ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency

Gerrish Township Police Department 01/01/2020 - 01/31/2020 Agency:

Date Range:	01/01/2020	- 01/31/202	0		
Number	Sub-Beat	Date	Offense	Location	Incident Code-Type Officer
20-0014	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/10/2020	99008 GENERAL ASSISTANCE		ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0036	GAP-2	01/10/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI		OTH-Other
20-0024	GAP-2	01/11/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0025	GAP-3	01/11/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS		OTH-Other
20-0037	GAP-1	01/11/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0019	GAP-3	01/11/2020	57001 TRESPASS		OTH-Other
20-0039	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/11/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		OTH-Other
20-0040	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/11/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0041	GAP-2	01/12/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0030	GAP-1	01/12/2020	91001 DELINQUENT MINORS		JU-Juvenile
20-0030	GAP-1	01/12/2020	91001 DELINQUENT MINORS		OTH-Other
20-0035	GAP-2	01/12/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI		PDACD-Car/Deer PDA
20-0043		01/13/2020	84000 PBT SERVICES		OTH-Other
20-0045	GAP-3	01/14/2020	93004 PARKING VIOLATIONS / ABANDONED VEHICLE		OTH-Other
20-0048	GAP-1	01/14/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		JU-Juvenile
20-0048	GAP-1	01/14/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		OTH-Other
20-0046	GAP-1	01/15/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		JU-Juvenile
20-0047	GAP-3	01/15/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		OTH-Other
20-0044	GAP-2	01/15/2020	23007 LARCENY - OTHER		OTH-Other
20-0049	GAP-2	01/15/2020	99003 MISSING PERSONS		OTH-Other
20-0053	GAP-1	01/16/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT		OTH-Other
20-0038	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/17/2020	99008 GENERAL ASSISTANCE	t	ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0042	GAP-2	01/17/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0054	GAP-2	01/18/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0055	GAP-2	01/18/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS		OTH-Other
20-0050	GAP-1	01/18/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0051	GAP-1	01/18/2020	73000 MISC CRIMINAL OFFENSE		JU-Juvenile
20-0051	GAP-1	01/18/2020	73000 MISC CRIMINAL OFFENSE		OTH-Other
20-0057		01/19/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		SIFA-SIFA
20-0052	GAP-2	01/19/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		OTH-Other
20-0056	GAP-2	01/19/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS		OTH-Other
20-0058	GAP-3	01/20/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0058	GAP-3	01/20/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		SIFA-SIFA
20-0059	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/20/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0059	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/20/2020	98006 CIVIL MATTER / FAMILY DISPUTES		DST-Disturbance (inside and/or outside)
20-0061		01/21/2020	84000 PBT SERVICES		OTH-Other
20-0060	GAP-2	01/21/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI		PDA-Property Damage Accident

Agency:

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Date Range: 01/01/2020 - 01/31/2020

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Number	Sub-Beat	Date	Offense	Location	Incident Code-Type Officer
20-0063	GAP-1	01/22/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0066	GAP-3	01/23/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0065	GAP-3	01/24/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT		ASTDHS-Assist DHS
20-0065	GAP-3	01/24/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT		DV-Domestic Violence
20-0069	GAP-3	01/24/2020	98007 SUSPICIOUS SITUATIONS		OTH-Other
20-0062	GAP-3	01/25/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT		DV-Domestic Violence
20-0062	GAP-3	01/25/2020	13001 NONAGGRAVATED ASSAULT		JU-Juvenile
20-0070	GAP-2	01/25/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0071	GAP-2	01/25/2020	50000 OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE		OTH-Other
20-0071	GAP-2	01/25/2020	50000 OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE		SIFA-SIFA
20-0064	GAP-3	01/26/2020	23007 LARCENY - OTHER		OTH-Other
20-0072	GAP-1	01/27/2020	99001 SUICIDE		DST-Disturbance (inside and/or outside)
20-0072	GAP-1	01/27/2020	99001 SUICIDE		JU-Juvenile
20-0073	GAP-2	01/27/2020	62000 CONSERVATION		OTH-Other
20-0076	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/27/2020	50000 OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE		ASTPD-Assist other Police Agency
20-0076	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/27/2020	50000 OBSTRUCTING JUSTICE		OTH-Other
20-0074		01/28/2020	87000 LOCAL RMS BACKGROUND CHECK		OTH-Other
20-0075		01/28/2020	87000 LOCAL RMS BACKGROUND CHECK		OTH-Other
20-0079	GAP-1	01/28/2020	83001 GERRISH EMS ASSIST		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0067	GAP-1	01/30/2020	91001 DELINQUENT MINORS		JU-Juvenile
20-0067	GAP-1	01/30/2020	91001 DELINQUENT MINORS	i i	OTH-Other
20-0087	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/30/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0081	GAP-2	01/31/2020	93001 PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENT/PI		PDACD-Car/Deer PDA
20-0068	GAP-1	01/31/2020	57001 TRESPASS		ASTA-Assist Ambulance
20-0068	GAP-1	01/31/2020	57001 TRESPASS		OTH-Other
20-0080	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/31/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0093	OUTSIDE- TOWNSHIP	01/31/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
20-0092	GAP-1	01/31/2020	99009 GENERAL NON-CRIMINAL		OTH-Other
Total:	101				

Roscommon County Arrest Codes Report

Code	Description		January
5015	Failure To Appear		1
7399	Miscellaneous Arrest		1
		Totals:	2

Gerrish Township Police Department Ticket Ledger Report Date Location Officer Charge

Ticket#	Name	Date	Location Officer	Charge Fine
GT03219		01/03/2020	South I75 Highway Roscommon, MI 48653	NO REGISTRATION PLATE (Traffic Violation)
GT03221		01/16/2020	01/16/2020 West Sunset Drive, Steele Road	NO PROOF OF INSURANCE (Warning)
			Roscommon, MI 48653	EXCEEDED POSTED SPEED (Warning)
				WINDOW TINTING (Traffic Violation)
GT03222		01/16/2020	01/16/2020 West Sunset Drive, Murphy Road West	NO PROOF OF INSURANCE (Warning)
			Roscommon, MI 48653	EXCEEDED POSTED SPEED (Traffic
				Violation)
				NO PROOF OF REGISTRATION AND/OR
				NOT SIGNED (Warning)
GT03223		01/25/2020	01/25/2020 102A Lady Slipper Lane Roscommon, MI	DEFECTIVE EQUIPMENT (GENERAL)
			48653	(Warning)
				OUT OF AREA WARRANT ARREST
				(Misdemeanor)
GT03316		01/30/2020	01/30/2020 North I-75 Expressway , 243 Mile Marker	EXCEEDED POSTED SPEED (Traffic
			Roscommon, MI 48653	Violation)
GT03317		01/30/2020	North I-75 Expressway , 243 Mile Marker	EXCEEDED POSTED SPEED (Traffic
			Roscommon, MI 48653	Violation)
GT03318		01/30/2020	North I-75 Expressway , 243 Mile Marker	EXCEEDED POSTED SPEED (Traffic
	1		Roscommon, MI 48653	Violation)
Total Tickets: 7	7			

DEPARTMENT TRAINING RECORDS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 2020

DATE	OFFICER	TRAINING HRS.	LOCATION
01/02/2020	Police Department Admin. Clerk Julie Hill	1 Hour LEIN Security Awareness Training Level #1	MI-TRAIN
01/02/2020	Police Department Admin. Clerk Julie Hill	1 Hour LEIN Security Awareness Training Level #2	MI-TRAIN
01/07/2020	j	5 Hours Total - LEIN Security Awareness Training Level #1 Level #2, Level #3 Module A, Level #3 Module B and Level #4	MI-TRAIN
01/07/2020	17-1, 17-2,	8 x (2) Officers – Managing An Incident Command Post ar Tactical Operations Center	Wexford Co. ad Sheriffs Dept.
01/07/2020	17-1, 17-2, 17-3 17-5, 17-6, 17-8	2 x (6) Officers – LEIN Re-Certification Test & Notice of Criminal Penalties and Civil Action for the Misuse of LEIN (Review Onl	G.T.P.D. Staff Meeting
01/13/2020	17-1, 17-2, 17-5	4 x (3) Officers – Legal Upda Training – AM Session	te Camp Grayling NMLETG
01/13/2020	17-3, 17-6, 17-8	4 x (3) Officers – Legal Upda Training – PM Session	te Camp Grayling NMLETG
01/21/2020	17-1, 17-2, 17-3 17-5, 17-6, 17-8	1 x (6) Officers – Ranger Unit #241 – Operation Upda With New Tracks System	GTPD te
01/21/2020	17-1, 17-2, 17-3 17-5, 17-6,	2 x (5) Officers – Taser CEW Annual Re-cert User Update Training	GTPD

01/21/2020	17-8	2 Hours – Taser CEW Certification & Practical Training	GTPD
01/27/2020	17-1, 17-2, 17-3 17-5, 17-6, 17-8	2 x (6) Officers – AVI/IC School ERP Joint Training With all County Agencies	Roscommon County Comm. Room

TOTAL DEPARTMENT TRAINING HOURS FOR MONTH: 89 TOTAL HOURS

G.A.P.S. Newsletter

Gerrish Alternative Policing Strategies

"Community with Police...Caring & Sharing Together"

FEBRUARY 2020



right...
Tom Allen,
Lyndsey Houser,
June Allen,
Brittany Buck,
Dave Harned,
Anita Sheppard
(all representing
the Roscommon
County
Community

Pictured left to

Community Foundation,

Lt. Greg Patchin, Chief Brian Hill, Chief Jim Fisher, Treasurer Leasa Tulgetske (all representing Gerrish Township), ACT NOW Chair John Ellis, Jim Clabuesch (RCCF) and Rick Meeks (Higgins Lake Foundation). **THANK YOU TO ALL OF THESE DONORS**

AND SUPPORTERS WHO MADE THIS PROJECT A
SUCCESS!!

"PROJECT TRACK

Lt. Greg Patchin (Gerrish Twp. Police Department) wrote two grants last fall and were awarded funds through the Higgins Lake Foundation Community Grant program and the Roscommon County Community Foundation's Morley Foundation Fund, Doug Allen Fire & EMS Fund and the Roscommon County General Fund.

The Gerrish Twp. Police Department and Fire/EMS Department, along with community partner organization ACT-NOW provided the additional funding needed for purchasing and installing a "TRACK" system on the Police Department's existing Polaris Ranger off-road special response vehicle. The tracks will allow for emergency response and rescues in difficult terrain not only during snowy winters but also on hills, uneven wooded areas and swampy marsh areas. More traction would provide for greater stability and the vehicle will have more ground clearance to be able to clear deeper snow and standing water/mud. This vehicle is available for use for the Gerrish Twp. Police Department and Fire/EMS Department for search and rescues, injuries or accidents in areas where ambulances cannot reach such as sledding hills and frozen water, stand-by services at large community events as a patrol and transport vehicle.

The Ranger has been utilized in many incidents since it was obtained originally through a U.S. Smokeless Tobacco Company grant written by Chief Hill in 2007. Additional equipment was added such as the Freedom Cab and the rear Stokes Carrier and Jump Seat. Now most recently with the addition of the Tracks System, this specialized vehicle becomes one of the only of its type in our County. It will be available for call-outs to our neighboring agencies through mutual aid whenever necessary and will further benefit our community and visitors to our area.



Ranger Before TRACK System Installation

UPCOMING EVENTS/MEETINGS:

FEBRUARY 5th

6:00 p.m. CERT CLASS @ Gerrish P.D.

FEBRUARY 12th

6:00 p.m. CERT CLASS @ Gerrish P.D.



FEBRUARY 19th

6:00 p.m. CERT CLASS @ Gerrish P.D.

ACT NOW SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

ACT NOW will be awarding \$1,000 scholarships to two Roscommon High School 2020 graduates in May. Scholarships are based on community service, GPA and student need.

Application packets are available at the Roscommon High School, at the Gerrish Twp. Police Department and on-line at our website www.gerrishpolice.org. The applicant will be required to provide two letters of recommendation from their school, one letter of endorsement from a non-school, non-related person along with their official high school transcript, the completed and signed application form and a 300 word essay on the "Value of Community Service."

Application deadline for submission is APRIL 1, 2020. Applications can be mailed to ACT NOW at 3075 E. Higgins Lake Drive, Roscommon, MI 48653 or turned into the RHS Counseling Office.

Scholarship awards will be presented at the Senior Awards Presentation at RHS on May 4th.

ACT NOW began their Scholarship Program in 2008 and has awarded \$19,000 to 12 RHS graduates since its inception.

ACT NOW and the Gerrish Twp. Police Department have also been annual supporters of "Project Graduation" and the RHS Marching Bucks. We have either hosted fundraisers or have participated in community fundraisers that benefit the Roscommon Youth Basketball Program, the Roscommon and Houghton Lake Rotary Interact Clubs and the Roscommon Bowling Team.

Part of our Mission is to assist the youth in our community and we take great pride in supporting our local young adults. They are our future leaders and it's very rewarding to watch them as they mature and become upstanding, productive citizens!

ACT NOW 2019 EVENTS SCHEDULE

(All dates, times and locations subject to change)



04/01/2020 ACT NOW Scholarship Submission Deadline

04/15/2020 Scrap Metal Project DROP OFF BEGINS

04/18/2020 Bowling Tournament Fundraiser at Fred's

05/04/2020 Scholarship Awards Presentation at RHS

05/13/2020 Roscommon Business EXPO Booth

05/19/2020 Spring Road Clean Up (Alt. date 05/21/2020)

06/20/2020 Higgins Lake Sunrise Run

07/20/2020 ACT NOW Annual Meeting & Picnic

08/08/2020 ACT NOW Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser

09/08/2020 Fall Road Clean Up (Alt. date 09/15/2020)

09/12/2020 Glow Golf Fundraiser at Ye Olde CC

09/19/2020 Shop-With-A-Cop Stuffed Animal Fundraiser

10/15/2020 Scrap Metal Project DROP OFF CLOSES

10/31/2020 Annual Trunk or Treat

11/28/2020 Bowling Tournament Fundraiser at Fred's

12/21/2020 Shop-With-A-Cop Wrap Party

12/22/2020 Shop-With-A-Cop Deliveries to Families

All event dates, times and location are subject to change. Watch for up-to-date information on future website and Facebook postings and in upcoming issues of the Newsletter.











